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**CIRCULAR LETTER E-09-03**

**TO: Installers, Manufacturers of Conveyances and Related Equipment and,  
Other Interested Parties**

**SUBJECT: Phase Reversal and Failure Protection Device  
Section 3141 [ASME A17.1-2004], Section 3.26.5  
3000(b) [ASME A17.1-1996], Rule 306.5**

**The Division of Occupational Safety and Health's Elevator Unit will allow the use of the pump-run timer permitted in A17.1/B44 Requirement 3.26.9.1(b) as a means of satisfying the Phase Reversal and Failure Protection required by 3.26.5 as well as the Low Oil Protection required by 3.26.9 in Section 3141 [ASME A17.1-2004], Section 3.26.5.**

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**If you have any questions pertaining to this regulation, please contact the Elevator Unit Headquarters at 408-362-2120.**

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